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The SWR is back and also are we! Once more we bring you the special report about the SWR Barroselas Metalfest, now in its seventeenth edition! This is the seventh time that Metal Horde Zine tries to give to all of you an inside look of what's going to happen in Barroselas! You have bios, photos and logos of the fifty-five bands that will step the stages of Barroselas alongside small interviews with most of the bands! If you have read one of these special reports before you know that there are three questions that were made to all bands! Only changing from Portuguese to foreign bands! So, the three questions to foreign bands were:

1- Is this your first gig in Portugal?

2- What are your expectations about SWR Barroselas Metalfest? Do you know anything about this fest? Do you expect a crazy crowd or what?

3- What can the Portuguese metal heads expect from you in stage? Send greetings to all metal fans in Portugal in your own way.

As for the Portuguese bands, these were the questions made:

1 - Is this your first gig in SWR Barroselas Metalfest?

2 - What are you waiting of your performance?

3 - What do you think about this fest, with its 16 years of existence?

So, hope you guys enjoy the reading and appreciate the bands that will rise in the stages of Barroselas!! See you all there!!

Day 0 – 23 04 2014 – 19:00 Free Entrance

Line-Up: Álvaro Fernandes & Marco Silva (Gt); Zé Pedro (Bx).

Dementia 13 is a Portuguese Death Metal project that pays tribute to Old School bands from that genre and also to classic cult Horror cinema. Each and every song and lyrics are inspired in a particular movie. Three musicians from several Underground Portuguese Metal bands (Pitch Black, Holocausto Canibal, Biolence and Grunt) represent the main line-up while others take part as special guests. Formed in 2010, their first work was released in 2013, the EP 'Tales For The Carnivorous' brings four tracks of Old School Death Metal full of vicious riffs and horror lyrics! This their second appearance in Barroselas after the debut last year but this one they will be in SWR as one of the finalists of the WOA Metal Battle!

1- No, this will be our second time in a row. We played in 2013 too but this year we're going for the Portuguese Wacken Metal Battles finals. We applied for this competition, got through the semi-finals and we're now one of the 4 chosen bands for the grand finale.

2- It's SWR's day zero and, despite many may think, it's a great celebration party! Madness begins that day so eveyone is pumped up and ready for one more long, awesome and crazy weekend in Barroselas, Portugal's extreme Metal capital. For some years now that lots of people show up for day zero so we hope everyone will be ready for a massive dose of headbanging old school Death Metal. And the best part is that you won't need a ticket. YEAH IT'S FOR FREE!

3- The best in extreme Metal! All the years of hard work, the legendary bands, all the variety of Death, Grind, Black and Thrash Metal bands and a festivity like no other! You all must come to SWR Barroselas Metal fest one day... preferably before you die! :) DEATH METAL SUPREMACY!!!

NEBULOUS

Line-Up: Snake (Vk); Vitor & Pingas (Gt); Rui Silva (Bx); Marcelo Aires (Dr).

Nebulous is a young outfit coming from the North of Portugal that was born in 2012! They released a self entitled album in 2013 that explores the boundaries of Progressive to its extremes with a lot of experimentation!! They will debut in Barroselas on the WOA Metal Battle finals in the first day of the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes, this is the first time we will perform at Barroselas since we have been faithful spectators of what has been going on throughout the years and we have seen the evolution and today, it is probably the biggest national festival (in a general perspective and with equivalent comparisons). So we are very happy with this possibility.

2- Since this gig is inserted in the Wacken Metal Battle context, our expectations are focused in a strong presentation, that reflects our album and that stands out in some way of the different bands so that we get the German spot.

3- As we've said, we believe that it has been reaffirming itself as the biggest name in national grounds. And it is to praise all the hard work both of the intervenients and the general public. We only have to wish 17 more and more 17 and another 17 because this is the steady bread that keeps the panorama and gives voice to the circuit!

Line-Up: Raça (Vk); Matador & Adriano (Gt); Katito (Bx); Shaq (Dr).

Revolution Within was born in the North of Portugal in 2005 and after many live gigs debuted with the full length 'Collision' in 2009 out through Rastilho Records! Three years later they returned with the second album 'Straight From Within' that showed the power of their Thrash Groove Metal!! Now they are back in Barroselas after their participation in 2010 but now as finalists of the WOA Metal Battle!!

1- No. We had already participated in 2010 edition, the year Kreator were one of the headliners. We played on that day and it went very well 'cause at the time we played there was already a big crowd watching us. At the time we were promoting our debut album (Collision). This time we will perform in a different context since we are in the Wacken Open Air Metal Battle.

2- It is true that we are in a final playing against friend bands, however we will give a concert trying to ignore that we are competing. Obviously we will try to win, but above all, we want to give a good concert so that people go home in the end fully pleased and wanting to see us again performing live. We work for that. One thing is certain, whoever wins Portugal will be well represented and I reassure you that on that night we will have a big party among all the band's members in contest.

3- It is one of the biggest heavy music festivals in Portugal and that says it all! I believe SWR knows how to grow in a sustainable way, a clear sign of competence. This partnership with Wacken Open Air is also a proof that this Festival is very well regarded outside. When things are like this we all come out winning! And I honestly hope that the fest grows and that in 17 year SWR, Revolution Within and Metal Horde Zine are still active and running (eheheh)! Cheers!!!

Line-Up: João Mateus (Vk); Alexandre Correia & Guilherme Busato (Gt); Bruno da Silva (Bx); Filipe Gomes (Dr).

Destroyers of All are a young Portuguese band formed in 2011 and playing a mix of Thrash and Death Metal with some modern touches! Their first work was the EP 'Into the Fire' that

was highly praised by the Metal media! After playing in most of the stages around Portugal, they will debut in SWR Barroselas Metalfest through the WOA Metal Battles where they are one of the four finalists!!

1- Affirmative, this is the first Destroyers of All appearance in this great festival. And we wish it isn't the last!

2- We are very excited to have the opportunity to promote our music and contagiate as many people as possible with our sonority, especially in an event like SWR with a well deserved notoriety.

3- It is undoubtedly the Metal festival that has done more for our country's underground, soon it will be 20 years always spreading and promoting the most extreme underground metal inside and outside. The effort of the organization is to praise and support, because there is already a mystique surrounding the name and event 'SWR'. It would be nice if the (mainstream) press gave more airplay to this event. We wish all the success for future editions and that SWR never stops growing!

Line-Up: Lave (Vk); Robin & CurghA (Gt); Micael (Bx); Martin (Dr).

Vengha is a Swedish band that started playing in 2012! After several concerts the band played and won the 2013 Swedish eliminatory of the WOA Metal Battle! Now, while preparing to release their debut album, it's time to invade Portuguese soil and debut in the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- Yes, it's our first gig in Portugal and we're very excited about it!

2- To meet all the fantastic metalheads at SWR and share the pure blast of energy that we deliver on stage. Nothing more than that it looks amazing from the pictures. Warm blooded metal heads.... how it can be anything but crazy! We are really looking forward to show what Vengha is all about!

3- One big fat metal punch in the face and loads of low tuned groove! Heads up bangers! With broken necks and horns in the air, Vengha will join the party!

Line-Up: Juca (Vk); Elias (Gt); Paulo (Bx); Béba (Dr).

Executer is a Brazilian Thrash Metal band from São Paulo formed in 1987! Their first work was the demo 'Prisioner of Darkness' in 1987 followed by two more, 'Hate and Violence' in '88 and 'Demo III' in '89!! In 1991 the band released its debut album called 'Rotten Authorities' but a year later they disbanded! The silence lasted until 2001 when they reunited! Their first work after the reunion was the album 'Psychotic Mind' in 2003 followed three years later by the third album 'Welcome to Your Hell'! Then a couple of more years in silence until 2013 when they unleashed '25 Years Thrashing Heads' their first DVD and 'Panzer Fest 2' a split CD with Vulcano, Panzer, Fire Strike and Kamboja! This year they released their fourth album 'Helliday' and will debut in Lusitanian lands playing on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes, it's our first time in Europe and in Portugal too.

2- We are very excited to play in SWR Barroselas Metalfest. We know something here in Brazil about the Fest that is the best metal festival in Portugal and Executer to be part of the lineup is a honor for us especially in our first time in there. Of course we expect a crazy crowd for the heavy line up of the festival!!!!

3- The Portuguese thrashers can expect an experienced band that likes to play a fast and aggressive thrash metal since 87 with the same passion. Our new songs are so aggressive than the old ones, so the Portuguese guys go bang their heads with us for sure!!!! Greetings from Brazil. The Executer can´t wait to be there!!!!!!

Day 1 – 24 04 2014 – 18:30 – 30€

Line-Up: António Costa (Vk); Bernardo Barbosa (Electronics).

Ermo is one of those bands where the definition of a sub-genre or style is almost impossible! Coming from the North of Portugal and born around 2011, this Electronic duo that blends electronic music it with more traditional rhythms and clean singing, debuted with a self entitled EP in 2012! Last year they released their debut album called 'Vem Por Aqui...' that showed all their originality and mystique! This one is for all of you open minded people out there!! Go see them on the Milhões de Festa stage at Barroselas!!

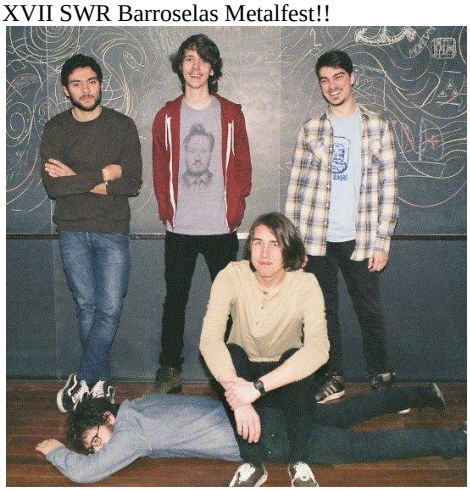
1- Yes. As participants and as spectators of the fest.

2- High expectations. We know we will be a little like fishes out of the water and that that's not our beach, but the idea of our concert there is exactly that and we will try to fit the festival, but even so prime for the difference, as we always do.

3- It is, probably the best Portuguese event dedicated to the heavier sonorities and there is no way you can't respect it. It is a great pleasure to go and play at SWR.

Line-Up: Bruno Martins (Gt/Vk); Gonçalo Duarte & Vitor Barros (Gt); Zé Pedro (Dr); Zézé (Bx).

Equations are a very young Portuguese band that plays math-rock with a lot of experimentation!! They have released an album called 'Frozen Caravels' in 2012 and have a new one ready to be released this year!! Wait for them in the Milhões de Festa stage in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!



1- No, this is the second time we are coming to the festival. We have played in the same stage (Milhões de Festa Stage) in the 2012 edition.

2- Although we do not identify ourselves much with the styles played in this festival, the stage where we are going to play represents a good opportunity to show what we do to an audience that generally does not cross with our audience. We have to praise this kind of initiative, I think that a stage with musical options from other fields only brings value to the festival as a whole! We will also present new material that will be out in our second album, and it is always a good opportunity to test new tracks live.

3- We only were at SWR Barroselas in the year we've played, but the atmosphere that you live there is awesome. We caught the gigs of Hypocrisy, Jucifer and Holocausto Canibal. Ah, and we still got to see the guys on the

backstage putting Corpse Paint on, so our opinion on the festival is the best!

Line-Up: Tiago Campelo (Bx); Jorge Esteves (Dr); Rodrigo Carvalho (GT/Kb).

Solar Corona is a young bunch coming from Barcelos in the North of Portugal and they were born around 2013! In the same year the band debuted with the EP 'Innerspace' where they showed their Cosmic Instrumental Rock! No words in this one so go explore your paths as they Rock on the Milhões de Festa stage at the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- We think we have been there since the first editions... We are from near Barroselas and since we were little during the night we hear the concerts echoing in the Neiva valley. Now in the last editions we also had the experience of filming in the festival, and now we are going to change to the stage side. Some years from now we will be serving hot-dogs at Martins's roulotte.

2- We hope our music isn't something completely strange to the audience used to more extreme sonorities and we hope that above all we have fun and everyone travels with us.

3- The best music festival in Portugal. Always was and always will be. Besides the bill it's the space, the atmosphere and all the experience that only the ones who have been there know what it is. Much work throughout time from the Veiga's team!

Line-Up: Paulo (Gt/Vk); Toká (Vk); Ivan (Dr); Guilhermino (Bx).

Serrabulho is a Portuguese Grind Core band formed in 2010 in the North of Portugal! After a couple of line-up changes the band finally stabilized in 2013 with a full line-up and released their debut album 'Ass Troubles' in 2013!! Don't miss their debut in Barroselas this year!!

1- Yes, it will be a debut in Barroselas to Serrabulho, the perfect place for another promotion date of our first album *Ass Troubles*. And the first time is always special! For some of us it will be a return since we have already performed in the fest with our former bands.

2- The highest possible. We will prepare an adequate setlist, because we want to have a great party among ourselves and the crowd at SWR.

3- It is great to see the festival has each year bigger projection at the national and international levels and all the work from brothers Veiga towards this cause is to praise. Seventeen years... it's work!

Line-Up: Mathieu Nogues (Vk); Julien Rufié (Dr); Franck Quintin & Yann Servanin (Gt) ; Mickael André (Bx).

Eryn Non Dae was formed in 2001 in France (at that time under the moniker END) and released their first work in 2005, the demo 'The Never Ending Whirl of Confusion'! Four years later the band released their debut album called 'Hydra Lernaia' that was very well received in the Metal community! In 2012 came the sophomore album under the name of 'Meliora' a full blast attack of Death Metal and Post Rock in a mix somewhat strange but that effectively works!!

1- We already played in Portugal a few years before, I think it was in Braga at the Bracara extreme fest, we had a great time in my memory! We had another gig scheduled in Porto the day after but was canceled in the night, we felt very inspired with checking our mails before leaving the hotel to Porto for nothing!

2- Friends of Zubrowska who already played it told us very good things about the festival, we know that it's well organized and that the line up should be killer, I'm really excited to see Gorguts and to hang out with our friends from Nero Di Marte, so we're very pleased to have the chance to come! We hope to have a great time with cool people; it's always a pleasure to visit some place abroad.

3- We will present songs from our last record Meliora, I think it will be intense and as some people say about us on stage "kind of journey"! Looking forward to see our Portuguese fans and maybe find some bottles of Ginjinha that i love so much! Ha-ha! Thanks!

Line-Up: BKD (Gt/Vk); Bruno Bernardo (Gt); Cristiana Silva (Kb); João Marques (Dr); Ruben Sardinha (Bx).

In Tha Umbra is a Portuguese band formed back in 1996 in Algarve after the dismissal of Bowelrot! Their first work was the demo 'Of The Singing Dusk…' released in that same year followed by the first album 'Descend Supreme Sunset' in 1998! A year later they released the 7'EP 'The Göatblöd 666' and in 2000 comes the second album 'Midnight in the Garden of Hell'! In 2002 the EP 'Pentagramma' was released and three years later the third album 'Nigrium Nigrius Nigro'! In 2008 came the fourth album 'Thus Open Thine Eerie Wings like an Eagle and Soar the Winds of Chaos' out through Agonia Records and in 2011 they released their last work until now the EP 'Noire' with four tracks of their unique Black/Death Metal!! Don't miss them at the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- This is our fifth participation at SWR Barroselas Metalfest, the first time was in 2000, then we returned in 2003, 2005 and 2009. After our 15 years celebration in 2011 it was really nice to have the possibility to return to this great festival when our fifth original album is almost out.

2- We haven't played in some time and it will be only the second time we will play live with the new line-up of the band, as a quintet. Although we have included the keyboards, we will prepare a set with some of our more aggressive and heavy themes, and maybe we'll have the opportunity to play some new material.

3- With our several participations separated in time and some presences as audience we have witnessed the evolution of this festival that is for many, and for us in particular, the current biggest Metal fest in Portugal. I am sure the bill is strong and for us it is a privilege to be once again between the bands that are a part of this underground altar.

Line-Up: Kheryon (Bx/Vk); Jaime Torres & Daniel Maganto(Gt); Lucho (Dr).

Eternal Storm is a Melodic Extreme Metal band hailing from Spain formed in 2006 under the name of Death Valley! In 2009 the band changed its name to Eternal Storm and last year they released the EP 'From The Ashes' that shows their blend of Death and more modern stuff! Now time to debut in Portuguese soil in the XVII edition of the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Greetings Nuno and Inês and all the readers of Metal Horde Zine! First of all, thank you for contacting us. As a band this will be our first

show abroad, so it is indeed our first show in Portugal. On a personal level I (Daniel, guitarist) have already played in Portugal, at SWR Barroselas XV in 2012, more specifically. I'm really looking forward to coming back to your beautiful country!
2- Well, as I said before, this is our first show abroad and we are playing with some bands we really like such as *Gorguts*, *Misery Index*, *Negura Bunget* and what's more, there are some friends of us like *Nami* also on the fest's line-up, so I guess you can easily imagine how stoked we are for this and how high our expectations are! :_) We expect to play a good gig and hopefully we'll get some new listeners and what's more important for us, new friends. We are a small band but we try to be as passionate as possible when it comes to everything we do. Also, as I answered in the first question, I played in the 15th edition of SWR Barroselas Metalfest as a session member of *The Ytriple Corporation*, a band which featured some members from the excellent sci-fi brutal death metal band *Wormed*, and lots of friends of mine have also played there, so I'm quite familiar with the festival. We wish there was something nearly similar to Barroselas in Spain!
3- We try our shows to be attractive and energetic and we work a lot on our stage presence. If you are into the more melodic side of extreme metal and you still want to listen to something aggressive, then I recommend you to come and see us play and come and chat with us after the show! :) Hope to see as many of you as possible on 24th April, I really love Portugal, both as a country and as a scene, I'm happy to be in touch with great bands from your area such as *Grog*, *Process of Guilt*, *Concealment*, *Utopium*, *We Are The Damned*, *Revengeance*, *A Thousand Words*, *Iodine*, *Ermo*...so we are all really looking forward to visiting your country on April. Feel free to check out our stuff at http://eternalstorm.bandcamp.com and follow us on http://www.facebook.com/eternalstormofficial. If you need to contact us, write us an E-Mail to eternalstormofficial@gmail.com. Muito obrigado again, Nuno and Inês! Stay safe!

Line-Up: Roger Andreu (Vk); Ivan Marin & Filipe Baldaia (Gt); Ricard Tolosa (Bx); Sergi Verdeguer (Dr).
Nami is a good surprise coming from the Andorra underground! Formed in 2007 this quintet, that plays a kind of Progressive Death Metal debuted with the album 'Fragile Alignments' followed last year by the second one 'The Eternal Light of the Unconscious Mind'! This will be their debut in Portuguese lands so don't miss them at Barroselas!!

1- Yes indeed! We've always wanted to come here since Filipe, our guitar player, is from Marco de Canaveses, Porto! He's always talking about the Portuguese festivals, underground bands, etc…
2- Of course, Filipe is always talking about it! Haha Since we started the band, our main goal was playing outside the Andorran borders, so we always looked for international fests and of course, the SWR Barroselas. We tried to play there once with our first album, but the line-up was already closed! Last year, our buddies Persefone played there and told us that they had a blast so we expect to have it too! This year's line-up is really extreme, and we are probably one of the "softer" bands, but we are really stoked to play on one of the biggest European festivals. We know that the Portuguese crowd is really passionate and open-minded, we can't wait to play there guys
3- 5 ugly guys enjoying what their do! We hope people will enjoy the journey with us and feel the same we feel on stage. See you there guys! Esperamos ver a Lusitânia unida a gritar e a sentir a música! Até já Barroselas!

Line-Up: Correia (Vk); Lafaia (Dr); Cobrado (Bx); Loureiro (Gt).
We Are The Damned is a Portuguese band formed in 2007 although some of its members have been making music all over the years in other bands. Their first release was a full length issued in 2008 by the name of 'The Shape Of Hell To Come'! They suffered a little bump when their vocalist left the band and they only reappeared in 2010 with the EP 'Metal Classics Vol.I' followed a year later by the second album 'Holy Beast'!! In 2012 'Metal Classics Vol.2' was unleashed and in May of this year they will release their third album 'Doomvirate' through Lifeforce Records!! So what a better excuse than to hear some new songs from them to go to the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- It's our third time!
2- Expectations are always exciting and thrilling!
3- It's without a doubt the best Metal festival that we have in Portugal!

Line-Up: Nathan Misterek (Vk); Nick Phit (Gt); Bryan Sours (Dr); Jeff Mcgarrity (Bx).
Graves at Sea is a Sludge/Doom Metal band hailing from the USA and born in 2002! They showed themselves to the world with the demo 'Documents of Grief' in 2003 and a year later released the 7' 'Cirrhosis/Atavist Arise'! In 2005 they unleashed a split CD with their countrymen Asunder and then in 2008 they called the quits! But that wasn't the last time we would hear of Graves at Sea because they would reunite in 2012 and already this year released the 12' 'This Place is Poison' and the split with the US band and also in this year's SWR bill Sourvein!! So don't miss the chance to see this guys debut in Portugal and prepare your body and soul for the beating of a lifetime!!

1- Yes it is! SWR Metalfest will be Graves at Sea's first Portuguese performance. It will also be everyone in the band's first time visiting Portugal. We're very excited to see your country!
2- Well, since it's our first time at the festival, we don't really have any specific expectations of the festival itself. I will say that we are all very excited to see the Portuguese bands that are playing. Being new to the country, what's a better way to experience Portugal than seeing some of your heaviest bands on stage!
3- Expect us to give it our all. We play every show like it's our last. We're especially grateful for our fans living in Portugal and hope to blow them all away when we take the stage April 24th. Muito obrigado!

Line-Up: Negru (Dr/Percussion); Ovidiu (Bx); Adi & Tibor (Gt/Vk); Vartan (Vk); Petrica (Pipes/Pan Flute).
Their story begun in 1994 as Wiccan Rede with which they only released one demo, 'From Transilvanian Forests' in '95 before changing their name to the actual Negura Bunget in that same year! Under that name their first work was the album 'Zîrnindu-sa' released in '96 followed in '98 by the now famous 'Promo'98' and the EP 'Sala Molksa'! In 2000 came the album 'Maiastru Sfetnic' and then in 2002 the masterpiece ''n Crugu Bradului', the third album and maybe the one that put these Romanians in the top of the Black Metal world!! In 2003 they released the split 'Scream of the Eastern Lands' alongside other five bands and in 2005 was released the EP 'Inarborat Kosmos'! The fourth album 'Om' came in 2006 and then some turmoil happened inside the band ending with the departure of

some members! Negru, one of the founding members, stayed and returned in 2010 with two albums, 'Maiestrit', a re-interpretation of the second album 'Maiastru Sfetnic', and 'Vîrstele Pamîntului'! In 2011 they released 'Focul Viu' a live album and DVD plus the EP 'Poarta de Dincolo' and last year they unleashed the single 'Gînd-a-Prins'!! Now they are back in SWR after their successful passage in 2005 and ready to astonish one more time the SWR fans!!

1- No, actually we played quite a few times before in Portugal. We always had a great time there, and I'm sure this will top all our previous experiences.

2- We actually played before at SWR Barroselas Metalfest back in 2005 and I know quite well one of the organizers, so I'm pretty familiar with the festival. It was nice to see it grow over the years. That was one the first festivals we played, and it was a crazy adventure getting there. So we are looking forward to play there again, and I'm sure things will be on a completely higher level both from the audience and from us.

3- We've been working on a new album for a while already, part of a musical and visual trilogy centered around our Transilvanian lands. We are now finally close to complete it, so people can expect to hear some new tracks, a new visual identity on stage, including some new traditional instruments. We hope to share an intense experience with the Portuguese audience!

SOURVEIN

Line-Up: T-Roy (Gt/Vk); Mr. Jones (Dr); Devilneck (Gt); Lou g 3 (Bx).

Sludge/Doom Metal band Sourvein was formed way back in 1993 in the state of North Carolina, USA! Throughout their career they suffered a lot of changes in the line-up being T-Roy nowadays the only original member! Their first work consisted on a split 7' with Buzzoven, a band with some members of Sourvein, in '96! Only three years later Sourvein appeared again, this time to release the split 'He's No Good To Me Dead' with Negative Reaction, Grief, Subsanity and Bongzilla! In 2000 they released their debut album called 'Salvation' followed in 2002 by the second one 'Will to Mangle'! 2005 brought the split 7' with Rabies Caste and the EP 'Emerald Vulter' and in 2006 they released a couple of splits 7', both with Church of Misery!! The 'Ghetto Angel' and 'Imperial Bastard' EP's were released in 2008 and one year later they recorded the 'Heavyweight Black', a split 7' with Blood Island Raiders!! In 2010 Candlelight Records released a compilation with both albums plus a couple of bonus tracks and in 2011 they release the beast 'Black Fangs' their third album!! A year later they put out a split 7'EP with the Japanese band Coffins and last year came out the split CD/LP with the also North American horde Graves at Sea!

1- First time, because some shity booker from London named tony bordan ripped us off and made us cancel 2 times we had no choice he screwed it all up, but we are coming to make up for his stupid mess and we are gonna rock out for Portugal.

2- I just wanna rock and make up for the last time we missed. I was sorry I couldn't make it, heard the fest rips so I wanna come rock, it hope the crowd gets wild yeah can't wait to make it there.

3- They can expect 100% throw down we owe plus we never hold back nothing we rock out from the heart so they will see some real deal lifers going for it ...can't wait it's going to blow your minds.

MISERY INDEX

Line-Up: Jason Netherton (Bx/Vk); Adam Jarvis (Dr); Mark Kloeppel & Darin Morris (Gt).

Misery Index is a Grind Death Metal band from the USA that started in 2001 when Jason Netherton, former Dying Fetus member, decided to create his own project! Their first work was the EP 'Overthrow' released in 2001 followed a year later by the 4 way split 'Created to Kill' alongside Aborted, Brodequin & Drowning and the split with Commit Suicide! In 2003 they released the split CD with Structure of Lies and the debut album 'Retaliate' out through Nuclear Blast, 2004 was the year for their first DVD 'DVD Vol.1' and for the EP 'Dissent' and in 2006 they released the split 7' with Bathtub Shitter and the second album 'Discordia', this one already out through Relapse Records! A year later they unleashed the 7' 'Hang Em High' followed in 2008 by the split 'Ruling Class Cancelled' with Mumakil and the third album 'Traitors'! In 2010 Anarchos Records released the yummy 'Pulling Out The Nails' compilation with all non-album material included and it was also the year for one more album, the highly acclaimed 'Heirs to Thievery'! One year later they released a split 7' with Lock Up, in 2013 came the first live album 'Live in Munich' and next month it will be released 'The Killing Gods', the fifth album, and the first through Season of Mist and that we will have the pleasure of listening to it played live in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- No. We were in Portugal in 2007 supporting Fear Factory. We've been back one other time, I believe, since then. Just check out the Misery Index Tumblr page for the full show list. Either way, your country is beautiful, your people are crazy (in a good way), and we are super excited to be back!!

2- SWR has a great name and reputation in the metal world. We are so glad yall SWR is able to pull something like this off in Portugal. Our friends handle Maryland Death Fest, so we know what it takes. So, thanks to SWE for providing an outlet to perpetuate the metal scene in this country. It is a movement, after all. Like you, we like to get the movement moving...literally. Expect a lot of mosh and circle-pitting and general controlled violence during our set. It's going to be wild...it's going to be brutal. Especially since we'll be playing a couple tracks off our critically acclaimed new record "The Killing Gods" on Season of Mist Records.

3- They can expect a world class display of the sickest anti-establishment and anti-religion brutality they will hear all weekend. Mark our words! Move or be moved! Portugal, Misery Index is coming to bring the hammer down! Put up your fist! And please...keep supporting Misery Index!

GORGUTS

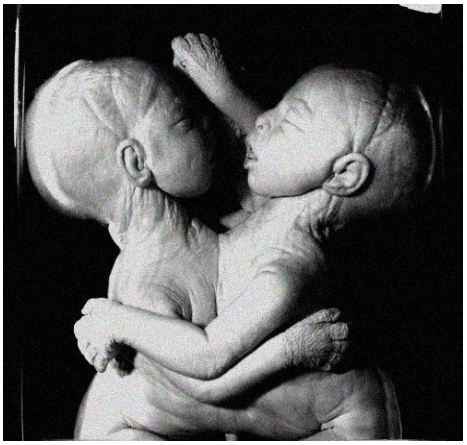
Line-Up: Luc Lemay (Gt/Vk); Colin Marston (Bx); Kevin Hufnagel (Gt); Patrice Hamelin (Dr).

Gorguts is a Canadian Technical Death Metal band formed in 1989! Their first work was the demo 'Demo'89' followed a year later by another one, the highly praised '…And Then Comes Lividity'! In 1991 came the first album 'Considered Dead' followed two years later by the second one 'The Erosion of Sanity'! The band would return to record five years later, releasing in 1998 'Obscura' their third album followed in 2001 by the fourth one 'From Wisdom to Hate'! In 2003 was released a compilation called 'Demo Anthology' that as the name says brings some demo recordings including the legendary from 1990! In 2005 the band would split up returning in 2008 when Luc Lemay decided to resurrect Gorguts! Meanwhile in 2006 the first live album of Gorguts was released called 'Live In Rotterdam' that brought a show captured in 1993 ! Last year the band was back in the game with the release of 'Colored Sands' through Season of Mist! Now time for their debut in SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

Day 2 – 25 04 2014 – 17:00 – 35€

Line-Up: Kikão; Seixão; Gamão

Putnam Was The Bastard is a Grindcore band hailing from Portugal with a couple of members from well known Portuguese projects as Revengeance, Traumático Desmame or Tinnitus! Their first work, a split tape with the US Grindcore band Gorgonized Dorks was released in 2012 through Degradagem Records! See them on the Milhões de Festa stage at the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!



1- No it isn't, as last year at the SWRBMF your wife was so fucking bored with you. I was in Barcelos for a court date and she fucked me. I threw an ashtray through a Chinese restaurant's window. I met her at the Hellcharge show. I fucked your wife, I fucked your wife and I bent her over. I fucked your wife. I fucked your wife – your marriage is over. JP Possessus was buying her drinks. I told her how I used to be a crack head. Next thing I knew, she was jerking me off. You're jealous because your band went nowhere.

2- We all sincerely hope at the SWRBMF that you'll beat beat beat beat beat beat beat your wife. Your wife's so fucking possessive, she complains when you're with friends. She's always a whining cunt, you cave in 'cause you're a fag. If she doesn't do the dishes or get you another beer. Then punch her in the face and throw her down the stairs. If you don't beat that cunt, she'll walk all over you. Beat her every day, it's lots of fun too.

3- Since the SWRBMF first edition that I spent all my money on drugs, and couldn't afford to fly, I took a greyhound bus, you and your brat sat next to me. It wouldn't shut up, so I lit it on fire. For 30 seconds it was louder, then it shut up. I lit your, I lit your, I lit your, baby on fire. You came back from the bathroom and smelled something burning. You realized it was your baby and I started to laugh. You asked the driver to pull over, but he laughed at you too. You yelled at me, so I roasted some marshmallows on your kid.

Line-Up: Fernando Fernandes (Vk); Tiago Calçada (Gt); Helder Azevedo (Bx); David Costa (Dr).

Bed Legs is a Portuguese band formed in Braga around 2011! Playing a mix of Rock, Blues and Soul they have debuted with the EP 'Not Bad' out in 2014!! Now it's time to see them in the Milhões de Festa stage in the XVII edition of the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1 - Yes, this is our first participation at SWR Barroselas Metalfest.

2 - We hope our concert is as different as fun and that we remember it as special, because after all we are not playing for our usual audience, however we see that as a challenge and it will be a very good experience for sure.

3 - It is Metal Christmas in Portugal, and we are glad it exists, glad it still kicks ass for so many years and keep it going for many more.

Line-Up: Tiago Pereira (Gt); Cristiano Veloso (Dr); Vitor Oliveira (Bx).

Aspen is a young Portuguese Stoner Doom Metal project formed from the ashes of the Stoner Doom instrumental band Cosmic Vishnu!! They have released an EP called 'Winds of Revenge' with five tracks of heavy stoner music in 2011!! After many shows throughout Portugal this instrumental trio will play for the second time in Barroselas after their passage in 2012!!

1- No, the first time was in 2012 on the same stage (Milhões de Festa), this is the second time we perform at SWR Barroselas Metalfest.

2- It is a kind of festival that fits the sonorities we have been playing, moreover, it always presents us bands with whom we identfy both new and old school. The majority of these bands had a significant weight in what we have done throughout the years and in that way, it is always a good opportunity to discover new bands and see the "monsters" that have been with us in our teenager years such as Venom, Pentagram or even Candlemass. It can be also a good time to show some new material.

3- It is a great example of work associated with great taste, we speak of an extreme environment where it is not always easy to have money or means to support a festival like this, not only Veiga Brothers as also everyone else involved have been able to overcome the obstacles and made this festival a mandatory ritual to all the bands or people that belong in this more extreme circuits. At the same time they turned it into a reference both inside and outside Portugal, mixing different groups of people, Milhões de Festa Stage is a good example of that and of the great environment and familiar feeling you live in this festival.

Line-Up: Sonny Stark (Vk); Martin Brzezinski & Gonzo Incognito (Gt); André Robsahm (Bx); Sven Lindsten (Dr).

Age of Woe is a Death Crust quintet hailing from Gothenburg in Sweden and formed in 2010! Their debut was a self entitled 7'EP with two songs released in 2011 followed two years later by the debut album 'Inhumanform' out through Suicide Records! Now time to see their debut in Lusitanian lands on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes this will be our first time in your sunny nation!

2- We have a Portuguese friend here who told us a lot of good thing about this festival and put us in touch with SWR. We also heard that the crowd at this festival is extremely loud and crazy so we are looking forward to going there and experience it for ourselves!

3- Age of Woe was meant to be on stage. We are a live band. We love what we do, We play from our fucking heart. Every show could be the last show you do so we play like there´s no tomorrow! Hope to see you guys out on the road in April!

Line-Up: Ricardo Dias (Vk); Sergio Bernardo & João Reis (Gt); Rui Brás (Bx); Ivan Alves (Dr).

For The Glory is a Hardcore band from Portugal formed in 2003! After a couple of shows they debuted with the 7'EP 'Somethings Won't Last Forever' in 2004 and in the same year they released another EP called 'Drown In Blood'! In 2006 the 7'EP 'Darker Days' is released followed a year later by the debut album 'Survival of the Fittest'! In 2010 it's time for a 4-way split EP alongside Black Friday'29, Last Mile and City to City and a year later comes the second album, 'Some Kids Have No Face'! In 2012 the split 7' with World Eater was released and in 2013 they unleashed their third album entitled 'Lisbon Blues' through Rastilho Records!! Await them on their debut in the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- Hello, this is our first time in the festival. We are happy to play in Barroselas. I've been there in another edition and I got the feeling from the whole festival. It is really cool.
2- Although we play a sound far away from what is usually present at SWR, I believe that we have the same mindset that many of the ones that go to the festival. It will be nice to be able to bring a little bit of hardcore to this, in our understanding we believe that different music styles can cohabit without problems or differences and prejudice.
3- As I've said before, I was present in a previous edition, although I was working. The festival is very well organized, and has a brutal feeling. All the necessary conditions for a band to have a good gig and feel comfortable. Power!

Line-Up: Burnley Wurbly & Sparky Von Crust (Vk); Scouse Jones (Gt); Ginja Ninja (Dr); Bass Face (Bx);
Crepitation is an English Brutal Death Metal band formed in 2005! Their debut was with the split 'Ultimate Fighting Deathgrind Championship 2006' alongside other five bands! In the same year the band released a promo and a year later came the split 'North-West Slam Fest' alongside Kastrated and Ingested! Their latest release is the EP 'Glasgow Smash' released in 2013! Now welcome them on their debut in Portuguese lands when they step on the stages of the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1. Yeah this will be our first time in Portugal.
2. We are pretty stoked to be playing the 17th Edition of SWR Barroselas. The festival has been improving every year with bigger bands and turnouts. We have many friends in bands that have played the festival in previous years that have all told us how great the crowd is. Looking at videos of the festival, the crowd always looks great. We always put on a very active live show so hopefully the crowd feeds of our energy and goes crazy too. The more stage dives the better.
3. The crowd at SWR can expect a very active live band going crazy and having fun. We hope the crowd is ready to slam with us and go crazy.

Line-Up: Edda Óskarsdóttir (Gt/Vk); Tumi Gislason (Dr); Gyoa Porvaldsdóttir (Gt); Haraldur Shoshan (Bx).
Angist is an Icelandic quartet formed in 2009 playing a massive blast of Death Metal! Their first work was the 'Promo 2010', a couple of tracks where they showed their power, followed a year later by the EP 'Circle of Suffering'! 2014 is the year for their debut in Portuguese lands at the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes this is our first time playing in Portugal and we are extremely excited! Most of us have never been to Portugal so we are really looking forward to see the country and get to know the people.
2- We are definitely looking forward to play at SWR. We've heard many great things about the festival and our friends from Beneath (IS) played there last year and had great things to say about the festival. The line up so far looks amazing so it's an honor to share the stage with all those amazing artists and YES we are counting on the crowd to come out and get crazy with us!
3- We always give our everything into our shows, creating an atmosphere of intensity and darkness. We'll be playing a lot of new songs from our upcoming album and we are really excited about playing those songs live for the Portuguese crowd so: Olá Portugal! Looking forward to see you guys in the front! Skál!

Line-Up: Tya (Vk); Meatgrinder (Gt); Jacopo Rossi (Bx); Davide Billia (Dr).
Antropofagus is an Italian Brutal Death Metal band formed in 1998! Their first work was a demo CD released in 1999 that lead to the release of their first album 'No Waste of Flesh' through Beyond..Productions! That same label would release their next work, the EP 'Alive is Good…Dead is Better' in 2001! The band would split-up in 2002 reuniting again in 2009, only with Meatgrinder from the original line-up! Their first work after the comeback was the split 'Split Torso Trauma' alongside Infected Flesh, Putridity, Prion and Mass Infection released in 2011 followed a year after by the second album 'Architecture of Lust' released through Comatose Music!! Expect their destructive sonority in the stage of SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes, we came in contact with Ricardo, we are very happy to come to your country, we are convinced that it will be very fun and rewarding for us.
2- We searched for information on the net, it is the best festival we have found in your country, we are convinced that your metal heads will give us a lot of heat and want to see them go crazy under our stage! Expect a lot from us because we will be ready to amaze you!
3- Go to inform you about our story, check out our tracks are sure they will be much appreciated! We wish you the best brutal wishes for Christmas! Have fun and be ready to see Antropofagus! We come soon!

Line-Up: DM (Everything)
Bosque is a Funeral Doom Metal band from Portugal and the work of only one person, DM, that does everything when recording! His first work was the demo 'Dead Nature' in 2005 followed by the split 'Under the Capricorn Sky/Premeditation' with Senthil in 2006! In 2009 he released the demo 'Erasure', the split CD with the Greek band Lotus Circle and the debut full length called 'Passage', that was out through Total Holocaust Records! A year later the demo 'Salvation' was released and a year later came the split tape with the Portuguese horde Lord of the Abyss! In 2013 the 7'EP 'Ermo Abismo' came out and the second album entitled 'Nowhere' again out through THR! So, don't miss them on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest as they don't give a lot of concerts!!

1- Yes.
2- It will be a return to concerts after almost four years break, with a completely different set in a very different environment. I am curious to see how will Bosque's sound work in a festival context

3- For me, SWR team is the big reference in Portugal when it comes to organizing concerts and festivals. Just look at the continuous and sustainable growth of SWR.

Line-Up: Gonçalo Kotowicz (Gt/Vk); Rui Guerra (Kb/Vk); Miguel Costa (Dr/Vk); André Gonçalves (Bx/Vk).

The Quartet of Woah! is a Stoner Rock'n'Roll quartet from Portugal formed around 2010! Their first work was the album 'Ultrabomb' released in 2012 through Raging Planet Records that was highly acclaimed by fans and media throughout the world!! After playing throughout most of Portugal time to see them on the stage of SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes, this is our first performance in SWR and we're pretty motivated for this gig in view of the festival and the audience that usually shows!

2- Play loud, fast and give a fucking concert!

3- Is to be praised that there are guys with balls to continue these initiatives, it's 17 years of a festival in Barroselas! We know well that is often easier to give up than to take forward these ideas.

Line-Up: Zé Goblin (Vk); Rato (Dr); Deris (Gt); Metralha (Bx).

Trinta & Um is a Punk/Hardcore band from Portugal and has been around since 1995! Their first appearance was on the third volume of the Vozes da Raiva compilation with 5 tracks alongside Ku de Judas and a couple of Brazilian bands! Their debut album was released in 1997 with the name 'O Cavalo Mata' followed in 2002 by the second one 'Não Há Regresso'! Their latest release to date was the third album entitled 'Terceiro Assaulto' released in 2004! After a couple of years in silence the band is back on its feet going to debut in Barroselas in this XVII edition of the SWR!!

1- Yes, finally we will participate in SWR! It has always been a part of our plans to play at this festival, for all it means and represents to our country and with heart and soul we all get together and make the party!

2- Prepare yourselves that we will close our day in a big 31!

3- It is commendable that there are still festivals like SWR, who fought for 17 years to make the festival grow and never failed to invest in our underground bands. Hopefully it continues for many more years!

Line-Up: Volker (Vk); Spinesplitter (Bx); Lightning Lord (Gt); Rolf Meyn (Dr).

Warhammer formed in '94 in Germany to play as Hellhammer as they could do!! They never hid it and it's just how things are!! Their first work was the album 'The Winter of Our Discontent' in '97 followed in the same year by the demo 'Towards the Chapter of Chaos'! In '99 they unleashed their second album 'Deathchrist', in '00 the third one 'The Doom Messiah', in '01 the single 'Apocalypse Unleashed' and in '02 the fourth album 'Curse of the Absolute Eclipse'! After that album Volker decided to stop things for a while only reappearing on the scene again in 2006 with a couple of live gigs one of them captured in what would become 'Live Massacre 2006' DVD released in 2007! As for albums they released their fifth in 2009 called 'No Beast So Fierce' and in the next year they released a split 7' with Japan's Coffins!! In 2012 they released the split 7''Apokalyptic War' alongside Brazilian hell raisers Apokalyptic Raids and in 2013 came the split 7' with the also German horde Blackwhole! Now it's time for their return to Barroselas after their successful passage in 2012!

1- This will be our second gig ever in Portugal. We played SWR Barroselas in 2012.

2- It's a fantastic festival! Two great halls with big stages. And the people really watch the bands! Not many are hanging outside, it's always very crowded in the halls. We expect a crazy crowd for sure! Me personally am looking forward very much to the godz DISCHARGE.

3- We go crazy on stage. Lots of movement, banging and thrashing. We don't like to deliver a boring show with just standing around. To all Portuguese metal fans and the Barroselas crowd: We can't wait to meet you again, let's make our show a memorable one and feel free to drink some beers with us after!

Line-Up: Beelzeebubth (Gt); Sorcerer Do'Urden (Bx/Vk); Poisonou (Dr).

Mystifier is one of the oldest Black Metal bands in Brazil as they were formed around 1989! Their first demo 'Tormenting the Holy Trinity' from 1989 caught everyone off guarded and showed that good Black Metal was being done in South America! In 1990 they released the single 'T.E.A.R. (The Evil Ascension Returns)' and a year after came the demo 'Aleister Crowley'! Those records opened the gate for their first full length called 'Wicca' out in 1992 but no one was expecting what came next! 'Göetia', released through Osmose Productions, in 1993 is still nowadays considered as one of the most influent Black Metal albums coming from the South America! Three years later they released 'The World Is So Good That Who Made It Doesn't Live Here', their third album followed in 1999 by the EP 'Demystifying the Mystified Ones for a Decade in the Earthly Paradise' and in 2001 by the album 'Profanus'!! After this one they only released a couple of compilations being the most notable the one by Nuclear War Now! in 2008 called 'Baphometic Goat Worship' with seven LP's with most of their work!! They continued playing and now are doing a tour playing the two first albums where one of the concerts is this truly anticipated in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- SDU: Infernal Hails! Yeah, this is our first time in Portugal! In April this year we will first play at Inferno Festival in Norway, and other gigs in Sweden, Denmark and Finland and then we'll head straight to bring terror to Barroselas Festival!

B: Yeah, we are very excited for making these first concerts in Europe. We have visited so many countries on this World Tour 2014 "Antiguos Himnos para la Dominación del Mundo - Wicca & Goetia Era", just playing songs from our two first albums. We can't wait for this European tour on April and June 2014, in countries like Denmark, Norway, Germany, Spain, Italy, Portugal, and so on. We played in NWN Fest in Germany in 2010, with our old line-up and that was a fucking great moment in our carreer. This is the time for one more attack!!

2- SDU: For sure we know about it. It's a very well known and respected festival! It will be great to be able to play in Portugal, where we can speak our native tongue Portuguese, and

more so in this great festival full of maniacs thirsty for the true Extreme Old School Brazilian Black Metal that we are going to unleash over their heads! It's going to be a fantastic dark day for sure!
B: We knew that other Brazilian bands played there with a great response. For sure, we hope that all maniac like our live ritual. We hope getting copies from our re-issues Wicca and Goetia on Grey Haze Records from USA and Black Vomit Records, for supporting us on this tour. It will help a lot our new worshippers knowing our extreme musick.
3- SDU: The new line-up right now is hotter than ever, we are anxious for coming to Barroselas to play our Wicca and Goetia albums in a way never seen before! You guys can expect a lot of fury and hate to be delivered on stage! its going to be a special night in the name of darkness! We Hail all the true Underground headbangers in Portugal and other countries that are coming to see us on stage this day! We promise this will be a night to be forever remembered! Hail! \,,/ 666 \,,/
B: I love to discuss about our Underground Black Metal scene around the world. We aren't that kind of band that just plays music for fun and shit. We really live what we do!! Into our Underground scene, we always are beside our legion. Hail Portugal!!

Line-Up: Bolt (Vk); Dod & Ivan Meathook (Gt); Ole (Bx); Martin Skriubakken (Dr).
Blood Red Throne is a Death Metal band hailing from Norway and formed in 1998 by Tchort and Dod while they were playing live as Satyricon members! Their first work was the demo 'Deathmix 2000' released in 2000 followed one year later by the debut album 'Monument of Death'! In 2002 they released the EP 'A Taste for Blood' and the split CD 'A Taste for Butchery' alongside the Dutch horde Severe Torture! A year later they released their second album 'Affiliated With The Suffering' followed in 2005 by the third one, 'Altered Genesis', the first out through Earache Records and in 2007 by 'Come Death', the fourth album!! In 2009 they released 'Souls of Damnation' their fifth album and the last where Tchort contributed as he quit the band in 2010! After his departure Dod continued with a couple of other members and released in 2011 the album 'Brutalitarian Regime' followed in 2013 by 'Blood Red Throne' both of them out through Sevared Records!! Now time to see them for the first time in Portugal on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Indeed. We have played most countries in Europe, but Portugal is one of the few we haven't been to yet. I've been trying to get BRT on Barroselas Metalfest for some years now and finally we got invited. We are really looking forward to gig for you guys, meet the fans and have a party. We will stay a couple of days too and get to see more of your beautiful country and beers!
2- I know it's a pretty big festival and I see there are coming some cool band this year. I sure hope the crowd will go as insane as we do on stage!
3- Massive power, headbanging and great interaction with the crowd. We truly look forward to finally come to Portugal for the first time in our 16 years of existence. Cheers!

Line-Up: Impurath (Bx/Vk); Vaz (Dr); Alal'Xhaasztur (Gt).
Their story goes back to 1990 when they formed under the moniker Irreverent with which they released a couple of demos before change it to Witchery in 1996 releasing three more demos! Finally in 1999 they choose Black Witchery as their war name and history begun!! First came the 7'EP 'Summoning of Infernal Legions' and the demo 'Evil Shall Prevail' both from 1998 that showed to the world what they were about: evil Black/Death Metal like all should be!! In 2000 they unleashed the split LP with their comrades of Conqueror and 2001 was the year for their first full length, 'Desecration of the Holy Kingdom', their first DVD 'Live in San Antonio and Vancouver' and the split 7'EP 'Black Metal Endsieh I' alongside S.V.E.S.T., Katharsis and Warloghe! In 2002 another split 7'EP with Katharsis and three years later came the second album 'Upheaval of Satanic Might' through Osmose Prod.! Then in 2008 they unleashed the split LP 'Desecration & Sodomy' alongside the mighty Archgoat, 2009 was time for 'Blasphemous Onslaughts 2005-2008' their second DVD, 2010 time for 'Live Desecration Ritual – December 2001' a live album and their third album 'Inferno of Sacred Destruction'!! Now in 2014 prepare your soul for the arrival of Black Witchery to the stage of SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!!

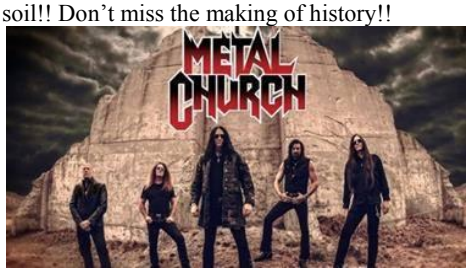
1- First and only gig in Portugal for BLACK WITCHERY.
2- I've heard good things about this Fest from our brothers in ARCHGOAT...we hope for a frenzy in crowd as always in Europe..
3- BLACK WITCHERY will deliver unrelenting darkness and hateful, blasting black metal massacre on stage! Prepare for ANNHILATION....

Line-Up: Martin Schirenc (Gt/Vk); Mike Mayhem (Dr); Danny Vacuum (Bx).
Pungent Stench is an Austrian Death Metal band formed in 1988 by Rector Stench and Don Cochino! Their first work was the demo 'Mucous Secretion' released in 1988 followed a year later by the EP 'Extreme Deformity' and the split LP with Disharmonic Orchestra! In 1990 they released the album 'For God Your Soul…For Me Your Flesh' and a split 7' with Benediction followed a year later by the second album 'Been Caught Buttering' and the EP 'Shisyu'! In 1993 they released the EP 'Dirty Rhymes and Psychotronic Beats' and a year later they released the third album 'Club Mondo Bizarre..For Members Only'! In 1995 the band split-up reuniting again in 2001 just to split up again in 2007! In 2013 Martin Schirenc aka Don Cochino reactivated the band without Rector Stench and that made some waves that are not still quiet down as he is not able to use solely the name Pungent Stench! So what we will be able to see in SWR will be Martin Schirenc plus two other members playing songs from the first three albums, the split with Disharmonic Orchestra and the EP 'Dirty Rhymes…', so expect fun and Death Metal to be exposed in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- No, I've already played there in 1994 on our tour with Brutal Truth and Macabre and in 2002 at the SWR Barroselas Metalfest V.
2- Since I've already played this festival before, I know that it's a great place to perform, although it seems like it has grown quite a bit, since 2002. Anyway, I'm very much looking forward to be there, again!
3- We'll just play songs from the first 3 Pungent Stench albums, as well as the Split LP with Disharmonic Orchestra and the "Dirty Rhymes..." EP, so the people can expect an old school set full of classic material, as well as songs I've rarely played live with Pungent Stench. I have fond memories of Portugal and the hospitality of its people, so I hope to meet as many as possible at the SWR Barroselas Metalfest 2014!

Line-Up: Ronny Munroe (Vk); Kurdt Vanderhoof & Rick Van Zandt (Gt); Jeff Plate (Dr); Steve Unger (Bx).

Metal Church is a Heavy/Thrash Metal band from San Francisco, USA formed in 1980 by Kurdt Vanderhoof under the moniker of Shrapnel changing it to Metal Church in 1982! Their first work was the demo 'Red Skies' in '81 followed a year later by two more, 'Hitman' and 'Four Hymns' and a last one in 1983 just called 'Demo 1983'! Those lead to the first album 'Metal Church' released in 1984 and nowadays considered one of the groundbreaking albums of the Bay Area movement! 'The Dark' released two years after through Elektra Records (a subsidiary of Warner Bros) solidified their ground and that didn't changed with the third album 'Blessing in Disguise' from 1989! In 1991 they released the fourth one called 'The Human Factor' and two years later came 'Hanging in the Balance'! In 1994 the band split-up reuniting in 1998 releasing a year later the album 'Masterpeace'! Then it would be necessary five years to see the release of the seventh album 'The Weight of the World' through Steamhammer the same label that would release 'A Light in the Dark' in 2006! In 2008 was released a compilation called 'The Shrapnel Tapes 81-84' that compiled the demos of the band and in the same year came the ninth album 'This Present Wasteland'! In 2009 the band split-up again only to be reunited once more in 2012 releasing the last album to this date a year later! 'Generation Nothing' the tenth album released through Rat Pack Records is the album Metal Church will present in SWR Barroselas Metalfest for their first concert in Lusitanian soil!! Don't miss the making of history!!



1- We have not..at least with this line-up.

2- I expect the organizers to do a great job with the festival and I am positive that the Fans are going to go crazy and have great head banging time with one another.

3- You can and will get a "kick ass" powerful and meaningful performance from Metal Church. Can't wait to rock with you Portugal…Cheers.

Day 3 – 26 04 2014 – 17.00 – 35€

Line-Up: Pupa (Sax); Cris (Gt); Martelo (Bx); Chaka (Dr).

Pterossauros is a quartet from Oporto formed around 2009 that plays a mix of Stoner, Prog and Jazz! They have played in many concerts and in 2014 will be part of the Milhões de Festa stage in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- Yes.

2- We have good expectations, is a great stage to showcase our work and moreover is a festival of our liking.

3- It's the true Heavy fest!

Line-Up: Cirro (Gt); Jpunx (Dr); Morcego (Bx); Paul Thrasher & Patife (Vk).

Vai-te Foder is a Punk Crust Metal band from Portugal formed in 2003! They debuted with the tape 'Vai-te Foder' in 2009 followed a year later by the album 'Viciados no Degredo'!! Their shows are always as their name suggest so don't expect less than broken heads and broken bodies in SWR Barroselas Metalfest when they go on stage!!

1- It is our third participation it is always a high level wasting!

2- We hope for lots of beer, khaos and confusion.

3- It is only the biggest and coolest extreme metal fest, and it's always getting better, some of us have been going for 15, 16 years, so the party at SWR never ends.

Line-Up: The Beyonder (Bx/Vk); Thamuz & Melkor (Gt); Maalm (Dr).

Martelo Negro is a Black/Thrash Metal band from Portugal formed by The Beyonder in 2006 under the moniker Black Hammer with which he released a couple of singles and one EP 'Winds of Carrion'! In 2009 he added a couple more members and changed the name to Martelo Negro releasing in the same year the demo 'Hierofante em Chamas'! Two years later they released the debut album called 'Sortilégio dos Mortos' and last year was released the compilation 'Antologia Grotesca (MMVI-MMXII)' through Hellprod! Their next album already has a name 'Equinócio Espectral' and be ready to hear some tunes of it on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes, Martelo Negro plays for the first time in this SWR edition, although we all have performed in previous editions with our other bands and former bands (Grog, Namek, Filii Nigrantium Infernalium, and so on)

2- We hope there's good receptivity from the SWR audience that usually feasts bands with a special enthusiasm, from our previous editions' experience. We are rehearsing heavily so that our set-list is tight to answer the expectations that the organizers and audience (the ones that know us, of course) have from us.

3- SWR is the festival that most resembles W.O.A. when it comes to diversity. The organizers have accustomed us with bills with big names without ever dismissing the presence of new emerging values. I think SWR is undoubtedly the biggest display of international metal in Iberian territory, without taking value from other fests that happen seasonally.

Line-Up: Géraud Jonquet (Dr); Florian Celdran (Bx); Christophe Doux & Mathieu Croux (Gt); David Sadok (Kb/Vk).

Verdun is a Sludge/Doom Metal quintet hailing from France and formed in 2010! Their only work until date is the EP 'The Cosmic Escape of Admiral Masuka' released in 2012 that granted them some very good reviews! So don't miss their show on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- We played a couple of shows in Portugal last year. The first one in Porto (Hard Club) and the second one in Viana Do Castelo.

2- We never went to SWR Barroselas Metalfest but we heard some very good words about the festival. It's gonna be fun to share the stage with such great bands and to hang around with some Portuguese friends. We really like the typical spirit of extreme festivals. Can't fucking wait!

3- We sure want to kick some asses! We'll just be out of the studio, so it's gonna be very exciting to play new songs for the first time.

Line-Up: Alberto Castaño (Vk); Dust Bass (Bx); Josema (Dr); Roi Gil (Gt).

Display of Power is a tribute band to Pantera born in 2002 in Spain! In the year we complete a decade since we lost Dimebag Darrel we will have the chance to hear some Pantera hymns in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!! Fucking Hostile!!!

1- It is our first gig for Display Of Power in Portugal, but first of three this year. Great!

2- We expect to fulfill all expectations. We are the original Pantera tribute, active since year 2002, and try to do it as perfect as we can. We know Barroselas is not a trendy fest, but Pantera always maintained their strength and roots with no compromises, and all metal fans always appreciated that integrity effort.
3- We always play at 100000%. We always try to do best. We take the Pantera legacy with pride and each show is driven to the end. We'll do the hardest playlist in Barroselas, the most extreme songs, the most extreme and surgical Pantera live sound. See you there in Barroselas 2014!!!

METHEDRAS

Line-Up: Andrea Bochi (Bx); Claudio Facheris (Vk); Eros Mozzi (Gt); Daniele Gotti (Dr).
Methedras is a Thrash Metal band from Italy born in 1996! Their first work was the demo 'Cost of Life' out in 1999 followed by the debut album 'Recursive' in 2004! In 2006 they were back with the second album 'The Worst Within' and in 2009 they released their last work until date, the third album 'Katarsis', a full blast of Thrash Metal to your head!! Now time for their debut in Portugal on the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes it's our fist gig ever in Portugal, never been there ;)
2- Our expectations about SWR are really huge, as we consider it the most important fest in the Hirax tour and one of the hottest location.. we've never been at SWR either as audience so we don't know much about the fest in details, but we know its name publicity increased a lot among the other European countries lately, and for sure it's the greatest heavy metal open air in the Portugal region... oh yep we expect a crazy and hot crowd there!!
3- Well Portuguese metal heads will see a solid band on stage, 18-years experience around EU,quintessence of the most direct-in-your-face thrash-death style, with some modern-industrial spicy in the last songs, a real war-machine which is able to deliver to the audience a sort of derived thrash metal mixed with more typical death metal influences and a groovy-hardcore approach concerning the vocals, without ever losing an ounce of anger and energy. We cannot wait to meet the great and friendly Portuguese metal scene and keep headbanging with them during all our showtime, wanna let'em have the best memories of the fest ever.. catch us on stage and you won't regret, that's a promise, metal hugs from Methedras!!

Gwydion

Line-Up: Ruben Almeida (Vk); Daniel César (Kb); Kaveirinha & João Paulo (Gt); Bruno Henriques (Bx); Luís Abreu (Dr).
Gwydion is a Folk/Viking Metal formed in 1995 in Portugal! Their first works, the demos 'Debt to Morrigan' from 1998, 'First Channeling' from 2000 and 'Augmentation' from 2001 showed a more Black Metal approach from these guys! After seven years in silence and some line-up changes the band returned to records with their debut album 'Ynys Mön' released in 2008 showing a powerful Folk/Viking Metal that granted them a lot of good reviews! Two years later the band was back with 'Horn Triskelion' that was released by Trollzorn Records as the first one! Last year the band self released their third album 'Veteran' and you can expect some tunes from it when they step on the stage of the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- No, Gwydion were present in the 2009 edition!
2- Essentially that it will be a great party as usual and that will also be used to present once again our new album Veteran in the north of the country. We make a plead to all the Beerzerkers to come full force 'cause it will be a very special show!!!
3- It's a reference festival and one of our biggest flags as a country with metal events. I believe all the bands from whatever country they are should be proud to be able to be present in this festival!

ONE INCH GIANT

Line-Up: Jakob Strand (Dr); Axel Berglund (Bx); Gabriel Abbe (Gt); Filip Astrand (Vk).
One Inch Giant is a Swedish Stoner/Doom Metal band formed in 2009 in Gothenburg! Their first work was the album 'Malva' released in 2011 followed two years later by the second one 'The Great White Beyond' that received some praising by the Metal media!! This year they will debut in Portuguese soil in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- First gig, but definitely not the last!
2- We have high hopes, it's always fun playing a new country and a new crowd, so expectations are at a max! We'd be lying if we said we knew much, we know it's a well renowned metalfest with a lot of extreme bands, a part from that not much! But we do expect nothing but craziness.
3- Hi Portugal! If you come see us we will melt your faces! Or fondle them gently if you prefer that sort of thing… Thank you!

WORMED

Line-Up: Phlegeton (Vk); Migueloud & Oliver (Gt);Guillemoth (Bx); G-Calero (Dr).
Wormed is a Brutal Death Metal/Grindcore band born in Madrid, Spain in 1998! A year later they debuted with the demo 'Floating Cadaver In The Monochrome' and 2001 saw the release of the second demo 'Voxel Mitosis'! 'Planisphaerium' their debut album was released in 2003 and a year later they released the split CD 'Premature Burial Tour Vol.I' with Goratory and Vomit Remnants! After some years in silence Wormed was back in 2010 with the single 'Quasineutrality' that only prepared the masses for 'Exodromos' the brutal second album released by this Spanish Death Metal machine!! Be prepared to receive them for the second time in Barroselas!!

1- Is the third time we play at SWR with Wormed, but we played too at Mangualde deathfest some years ago. Some of us played in Portugal also with other bands like Human Mincer and Godüs.
2- It's a fest we love! As I told you before is the third time we play there, and we always get a very good response from the crazy Portuguese. We expect the people have fun and turn crazy by our music, for us... just drinking and smoking with all the friends and fans we have there.
3- Intensity, brutality, dark passages, blast beat...a travel through a wormhole. Cheers to all the Portuguese fans! Just enjoy in this amazing fest and hope to share some beers and smoking things with you! Are you ready to enter into the black hole?

DOLENTIA

Line-Up: Sangre (Dr); Sepultus & Defunctum (Gt); Luctus (Vk).
Dolentia is a Black Metal band from Oporto formed in 2004! Their first work was the demo 'Cadunt Altis de Montibus Umbrae' released in 2006 followed by the second one 'A Idade da Morte, Liturgia do Sangue e da Agonia' in 2007! In 2009 they released the split CD 'Da Terra que Comungamos' alongside Tumulum and a year later came the split tape with the Basque horde Ostots and a split 7' with Cripta Oculta! In 2012 Discipline Productions released their debut album 'Sob a Égide das Sombras' and the split 7' 'Liturgic Destruction – Live in Newcastle' with the Portuguese band Satanize! Known for their live ritual being always very special don't expect less when

they arise in the stage of the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes.
2- It will be a true ritual of destruction, with special focus on the material from the new album "Iniciação Eversiva".
3- SWR is a reference for extreme music in Portugal. It is an honour for us to become part of the history of this festival.

Line-Up: Sebastian Puente & Francisco Haussmann (Gt); Punto Sudy (Dr); Matias Leonicio (Vk); Roberto Barría (Bx).

Nuclear is one of the most dynamic bands from the Chilean underground!! Formed in 2003 after the disband of Escoria, the band debuted with the album 'Heaven Denied' that showed the strength of their Thrash Metal! Two years later it was time for the follow up '10 Broken Codes' followed by the split DVD 'Chilean Most Wanted' alongside Poema Arcanus and Criminal! In 2009 they released the live album 'Mosh Detonation Official Bootleg' and a year later the third album 'Jehovirus'! 2012 brought the live album 'Live at Teatro Novedades' and the EP 'Apatrida' and in 2013 they released a split 7'EP with the El Salvador horde Conceived By Hate plus the split DVD 'Sick Mosh' alongside Lefutray and Conflicted!! Wait for them in the XVII edition of the SWR Barroselas Metalfest for their debut in Portuguese soil!!

1- First of all, greetings to all Portuguese metalheads and thanks Nuno for your support! Answering your question: Yes, it is our first gig in Portugal. We're very excited to show all of you guys our music in the next SWR Barroselas Metalfest. Will be a total blast. Prepare yourselves for a brutal display of 100% pure South American thrash metal.
2- We have high expectations about the Festival. We know that SWR Barroselas Metalfest is an important Festival and after all these years it keeps growing and growing more, we think this year's line-up is totally killer. Acts such as Metal Church, Misery Index, Discharge, In Solitude, Gorguts or Hirax (among many others) are the proof that SWR will fill all the expectations of metal fans coming to the event. Some years ago Mar de Grises -another Chilean band- played there. We've received very good references from them. As we mentioned, we're so glad to play in the Fest and expect a crazy and energetic crowd. Nuclear plays fast, aggressive and heavy: You don't be disappointed if you like enraged thrash metal. We can't wait to see all of you in the pit.
3- Just three words: Violence, Aggression and Thrash! Greetings to all Portuguese metal-maniacs attending to the Festival. Be prepared for raw Thrash Metal. Cheers! - See you in April.

Line-Up: KzR (Gt/Vk); HzR (Dr).

Bölzer is a Black/Death Metal duo from Switzerland formed in 2008! They debuted with the demo 'Roman Acupuncture' in 2012 followed last year by the EP 'Aura' out through Iron Bonehead Productions!! This year it's time for their debut in Portuguese lands so don't miss them because you'll regret it for the rest of your life!!

1- Yes this is our first time in Portugal, we really are looking forward to it!
2- We are not very familiar with it no but we know of many great bands that have played it before so I guess that is a good sign. It would be great to have a large, rabid attendance, of course!
3- They can expect a poignant dose of Black Death. Ugh!

Line-Up: Hornper (Vk); Niklas Lindstrom & Henrik Palm (Gt); Gottfrid Ahman (Bx); Uno Bruniusson (Dr).

In Solitude is a Heavy Metal band from Sweden formed in 2002! They debut with a self entitled demo in 2005 followed the same year by the demo 'Anguish of Regret' and by one more in 2006 called 'Hidden Dangers'! In 2008 they released a 7' with the same name ('Hidden Dangers') and the first album 'In Solitude' through High Roller Records and a year later they released the EP '7th Ghost'! 2011 brought the second album 'The World. The Flesh. The Devil' through Metal Blade Records and two years later they released the single 'Lavender' and the third album 'Sister'! They unleashed this year the 7' 'Serpents Are Rising' and will debut in Portuguese lands in the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- Yes! The closest we been is to Spain so we are stoked go down even further!
2- Only heard good things from people we know who have played there before so we are stoked. From what I've seen on posters from previous the lineup is always good and varied from hardcore punk, doom too the most grim black metal. So it's cool. I'm much stoked to see Discharge. Haven't seen them since 2007. Crowd wise I have no idea but gut feeling says it will be a great show
3- Our constant intention is to give everyone something special. No different this time. See you there!

Line-Up: A (Bx); D (Dr); R (Gt); Y (Gt/Vk).

Grave Miasma is an UK Black/Death Metal band formed in 2002 under the moniker Goat Molestör with which they released a demo 'Ancient Barbaric Assault' in 2003, the EP 'Realm of Evoked Doom' in 2005 and two splits, 'Black Metal Terror Over London' alongside The One, Fluisterwoud and Niroth in 2004 and a split CD with the German horde Necros Christos!! In 2006 the band changes the name to Grave Miasma and its first work is the EP 'Exalted Emanation' released in 2009 followed a year later by another EP called 'Realm of Evoked Doom'! Last year the band released their debut album 'Odori Sepulcrorum' through Sepulchral Voice Records and this year they will return to our country to debut in the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- This will be our second appearance in Portugal, as we performed at the Side B Bar back in 2010.

2- We are expecting a dedicated and varied crowd due to the contrasting styles supported by this excellent festival, which has a great reputation among all I know who have visited or performed. I anticipate a more animated crowd reaction compared with our performance in 2010 at Side B, considering we now command a wider audience. And I will certainly be part of the crazy crowd during Mystifier and Metal Church, for instance.

3- Each gig for us is a cathartic rite and sacramental offering to the ancient spirits whose voices as hands craft our vision. Expect Death Metal, as entrenched with old school ideals as it is shaped by ritualistic sounds linked with Black Metal and beyond.

Line-Up: Mauro Gonzalez (Vk); Juan Juarez (Gt); Carlos Regalado (Dr); Jessie Sanchez (Bx).

Bonded by Blood is an US Thrash Metal band formed in 2005! They debut with the demo 'Four Pints of Blood' in 2006 followed a year later by the EP 'Extinguish the Weak'! That lead to a contract with Earache that released their debut album 'Feed the Beast' in 2008, the second one 'Exiled to Earth' in 2010 and 'The Aftermath' in 2012, their third album, that presented their new vocalist Mauro Gonzales! Expect only Thrash destruction when they go up on the stage of SWR Barroselas Metalfest!

1- Yes and we are excited to perform there.

2- Based on the stories we hear from our other friends who've performed there, they say the Portuguese know how to have a good time and the shows are insane. I guess we'll find out soon!

3- They can expect a show they won't ever forget. It's not every day we get to perform to our Portuguese fans so we'll be sure our stay out there is a memorable one. We will definitely have our video cameras on stage with us so show us what you got! See you soon!!

Line-Up: Lance Harrison (Gt); Steve Harrison (Bx); Jorge Iacobellis (Dr); Katon de Pena (Vk).

Hirax is a Thrash Metal band from California, USA that was raised in 1984 by Katon Pena , who nowadays is the only founding member that still plays in Hirax!! They debuted with the 'Demo 1984' followed by the 5 way split 'Anglican Scrape Attic' alongside Execute, Lip Cream, Concrete Sox and Sacrilege and the debut album 'Raging Violence' in '85! A year after they unleashed the second album 'Hate, Fear and Power' and in '87 the single and demo 'Blasted in Bangkok' was released! In the same year the band stopped and only reappeared ten years after with the 'Dying World' split 7´alongside Spazz followed three years later by the EP 'El Diablo Negro'! In '01 they released the EP 'Barrage of Noise', in '04 the third album 'The New Age of Terror' and in '05 the 5 way split 'Louder Than Hell' with Municipal Waste, The Accüsed, Toxic Narcotic and Vöetsek! In '06 they unleashed the DVD 'Thrash 'till Death', in '07 the EP's 'Assassins of War' and 'Chaos and Brutality', in '08 the live album/DVD 'Thrash and Destroy' and the split 7' with Sweden's F.K.Ü.! In 2009 the year started with the split 7' 'Metalheads United' alongside French band Resistance and ended with the release of their fourth album 'El Rostro de la Muerte', a year after came the split 7' 'Raging Thrash' with Brazilian band Violator and the split DVD 'Just Kill.. and Kill Again' with Mortage and Devil On Earth! In 2011 they released another DVD this time called 'First Time in Poland' and in the next year came the single 'La Boca de la Bestia'! Last year they released one more single 'Hellion Rising' plus the split 7' with the Paraguay horde The Force! Now in 2014 they released their fifth full length 'Immortal Legacy' plus the split 7' with Tankard and finally it's the year for Barroselas and the Portuguese crowd to see Hirax!!

1- Yes this is our "HIRAX" first time playing in Portugal and it will be a very historic event! Also on a personal note it will be the first time I have visited the motherland of my grandfather for me and my family who is of Portuguese descent this will be a very proud and great moment! We are honored to come play in this great country.

2- I know that SWR Barroselas Metalfest is the premier festival in Portugal, The promoters have been gracious enough to ask us to play and the fans have been wanting to see us for a long time we expect the concert to be totally crazy stage diving everywhere slam pits screaming and fist in the air we are going to give the audience 100% pure THRASH Metal guaranteed...

3- For the Portuguese metalheads we have a very special show planned we Will be playing select songs off of each HIRAX album also including some of the new material from our most recent album "Immortal legacy" released by Steamhammer / SPV records it will be the ultimate HIRAX thrash metal show! To all of our fans in Portugal and the rest of Europe we will see you Saturday April 26 get ready to Bang Your Heads!!!!

Line-Up: Mick Kenney (Bx/Gt/Dr); Dave Hunt (Vk).

Anaal Nathrakh is a Black Metal band formed in England in 1998 by a duo of known characters of the British underground! Their debut was a self entitled demo in 1999 followed in the same year by the now cult demo 'Total Fucking Necro'! In 2001 was released the debut album 'The Codex Necro' and two years later came the EP 'When Fire Rains Down from the Sky, Mankind Will Reap as It has Sown'! In 2004 time for the second album 'Domine Non Es Dignus', 2006 for the third one, 'Eschaton' and 2007 brought one more, 'Hell is Empty, and All the Devils Are Here'! In 2009 they released the single 'More of Fire Than Blood' and the album 'In the Constellation of the Black Widow' and in 2011 they released the album 'Passion' and the single 'Man at C&A'! 2012 brought the single 'Of Fire, and Fucking Pigs' and the seventh album 'Vanitas' out through Candlelight Records! Don't miss the destruction that will happen when they arise on the stage of the XVII SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- No, we played Caos Emergente in I believe 2009. So this is our second visit.

2- No, we don't know much about the festival. Some big European festivals get coverage here in the UK, Hellfest etc., but in general there's a lot we don't hear about. But some of the photos I've seen looked cool, and there are some great bands playing - I really hope we get to see some of them, Gorguts especially. So we don't know what to expect, but we're looking forward to finding out.

3- I don't know yet, it hasn't happened! Some people would reply 'a really intense show' or something like that. But I think it's better to let

the rage do what it wants. There will be a new song from the album we're finishing at the moment that we've never played anywhere before. It's so new that I haven't even made the final decision on what to call it, haha! A greeting? I don't like cheesy lines. So instead, a quote of a quote from a great Portuguese writer: 'If you can see, look. If you can look, observe'. See you soon...

Line-Up: Rat (Vk); Rainy (Bx); Bones (Gt); Dave Bridgwood (Dr).

Discharge is a Punk/Hardcore/Heavy Metal band formed in the UK in 1977, considered by many as the fathers of the D-Beat sonority! Their first work was the 'Demo'77' followed by the EP 'Live in Preston' and the singles 'Realities of War', 'Fight Back' and 'Decontrol' all in 1980! In 1981 came the EP 'Why' and the single 'Never Again' and a year later they released the single 'State Violence State Control' and the first full length, the now legendary 'Hear Nothing See Nothing Say Nothing'! In 1983 the EP 'Warning – Her Majesty's Government Can Seriously Damage Your Health' was released and also the single 'The Price of Silence' and a year later the single 'The More I See'! In 1985 they unleashed the single 'Ignorance' and a year later came the second album 'Grave New World'! The band then splits in 1987 reuniting in 1991 and releasing in the same year the album 'Massacre Divine' followed a year later by the split 'Apocalypse Punk Tour 1981' with The Exploited, Anti Pasti, Chron Gen and Anti-Nowhere League! In 1993 the fourth full length 'Shootin Up the World' is released and the guys split once more in 1999 just to reunite again in 2001! A self entitled album is released in 2002 followed by the EP 'Tour Edition EP' in 2004 and the split 7' with the Spanish band MG-15 in 2005! In 2006 the EP 'Beginning of the End' is released and a couple of years later comes the seventh album 'Disensitise'! 2009 brings the 'Japan Tour 2009' EP and two years later comes the EP 'Propaganda Feeds' and the split 7' with Off With Their Heads!! Now time to see them on the XVII edition of the SWR Barroselas Metalfest!!

1- No we have played a few times in Portugal festivals and club concerts.

2- Unfortunately we don't know much about the festival but am sure all will have a great time and we always expect a crazy crowd.

3- What the crowd can expect is full on in your face as discharge should always be, to the metal fans, there be noisy. Cheers rat!

DAY 0 - wednesday 23 april - 19:00
02:10 stage #3 VENGHA
??:?? stage #3 DEMENTIA 13
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??:?? stage #3 REVOLUTION
22:00 stage #3 EXECUTER

DAY 1 - thursday 24 april - 18:30
02:30 stage #3 SERRABULHO
01:45 stage #1 MISERY INDEX
01:15 stage #3 EQUATIONS
01:00 stage #2 GRAVES AT SEA
23:55 stage #1 GORGUTS
23:05 stage #2 SOURVEIN
22:10 stage #1 NEGURA BUNGET
21:45 stage #3 ERMO
21:30 stage #2 IN THA UMBRA
20:50 stage #1 WE ARE THE DAMNED
20:10 stage #2 ERYN NON DAE
20:00 stage #3 SOLAR CORONA
19:35 stage #1 NAMI
19:00 stage #2 ETERNAL STORM

DAY 2 - friday 25 april - 17:00
02:40 stage #3 TRINTA & UM
01:45 stage #1 SCHIRENC PLAYS PUNGENT STENCH
01:00 stage #2 BLACK WITCHERY
23:55 stage #1 METAL CHURCH
23:10 stage #2 MYSTIFIER
23:00 stage #3 FOR THE GLORY
22:15 stage #1 BLOOD RED THRONE
21:40 stage #2 AGE OF WOE
20:50 stage #1 WARHAMMER
20:30 stage #3 BED LEGS
20:10 stage #2 BOSQUE
19:30 stage #1 ANTROPOFAGUS
19:15 stage #3 ASPEN
18:50 stage #2 CREPITATION
18:10 stage #1 THE QUARTET OF WOAH
17:30 stage #2 ANGIST
16:30 stage #3 PUTNAM WAS THE BASTARD

DAY 3 - saturday 26 april - 17:00
03:10 stage #3 VAI-TE FODER
02:20 stage #2 DISPLAY OF POWER
01:25 stage #1 DISCHARGE
00:40 stage #2 GRAVE MIASMA
00:40 stage #3 GWYDION
23:45 stage #1 ANAAL NATHRAKH
23:00 stage #2 BÖLZER
22:05 stage #1 HIRAX
21:40 stage #3 VERDUN
21:25 stage #2 NUCLEAR
20:35 stage #1 IN SOLITUDE
20:00 stage #2 MARTELO NEGRO
19:15 stage #1 WORMED
19:00 stage #3 METHEDRAS
18:40 stage #2 DOLENTIA
18:05 stage #1 BONDED BY BLOOD | USA
17:30 stage #2 ONE INCH GIANT
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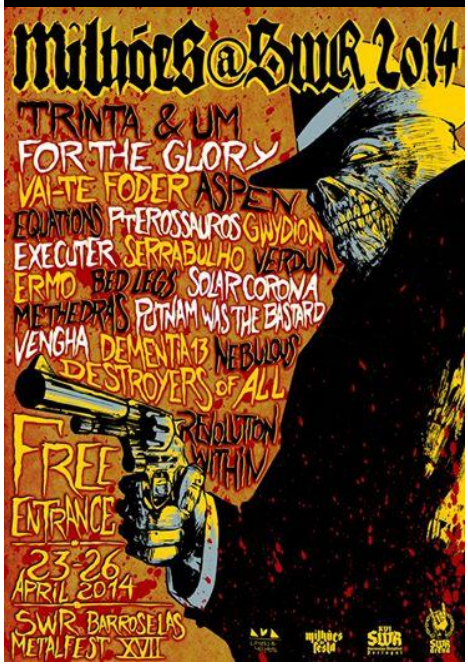

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